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Assignee Name: Advanced Micro Devices, Inc.
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Inventor: Mehrdad Mahanpour et al.

For: DETECTING HEAT GENERATING FAILURES IN UNPASSIVATED SEMICONDUCTOR DEVICES

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- Patent Specification (12 pages) and Declaration
- 5 sheets of drawing(s).
- An assignment of the invention to Advanced Micro Devices, Inc. (includes Recordation Form Cover Sheet).
- A certified copy of a __ application.
- An associate power of attorney
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